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## SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

No. PR 10-0014

IN RE PETITION OF CYNTHIA FORD FOR REINSTATEMENT TO ACTIVE STATUS IN THE STATE BAR OF MONTANA MAR 15 2010

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PETITION

COMES NOW Cynthia Ford and respectfully petitions this Court for reinstatement to active status pursuant to Section 3 of the By-Laws of the State Bar of Montana.

Petitioner was admitted to the State Bar of Montana in October 1978.

## Petitioner

Was placed on inactive status by the State Bar of Montana pursuant to Rules 3B2, 5, and 12, of the Rules for Continuing Legal Education on July 2, 2007, as a result of noncompliance with CLE requirements. The noncompliance was for reporting, not for failure to meet the actual CLE requirements. I have completed and submitted a CLE affidavit showing that I have met the CLE requirements in 2007, 2008, 2009, and still have more than 30 carry-over hours.

Petitioner is willing and able to pay active dues, fees, and the state license tax to the

State Bar of Montana and comply with any continuing education requirements this Court

may impose.

Petitioner is not currently suspended, disbarred, or otherwise ineligible to practice law

in another jurisdiction. (If so, provide the pertinent details.)

Petitioner is not currently subject to disciplinary proceedings or pending disciplinary

proceedings in another jurisdiction. (If so, provide the pertinent details.)

Petitioner has not been charged with a criminal offense while not on active status. (If

so, provide the pertinent details.)

Petitioner has not accrued delinquent debt or filed for bankruptcy while not on active

status. (If so, provide the pertinent details.)

Petitioner has not failed to fulfill the obligations of a public office or professional

license (other than as an attorney) while not on active status. (If so, provide the pertinent

details.)

Finally, petitioner has not committed any acts or omissions while not on active status

which would be sanctionable under the Montana Rules of Professional Conduct.

WHEREFORE, petitioner requests reinstatement as an active member of the State Bar

of Montana.

The above statements are true based upon petitioner's knowledge and belief.

DATED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2010.

BY: Cynthia Ford, Petitioner

## SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 5 day of March, 2010 By Cynthia Ford.



Printed Name of Notary How J. Kyll Sit

Residing at Missoura, Montant

Notary Public for the State of Montant

My Commission Expires 2 14 2011

This original petition along with 2 copies must be submitted to the Montana Supreme Court Clerk's Office, P.O. Box 203003, Helena, MT 59620. Please provide an additional copy to the State Bar office at P.O. Box 577, Helena, MT 59624.